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"THE COOLEY GANG STRIKES!"

"THE LIFE AND DEATH OF THE PHOENIX KID!"

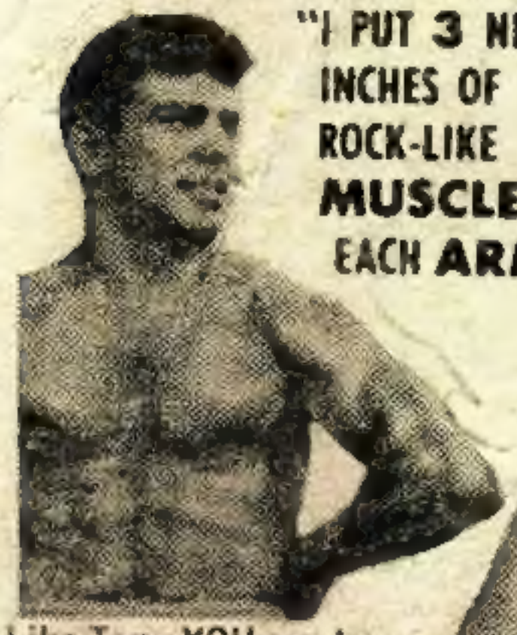
"EMPTY HOLSTERS!"

TONY PASCARELLA

BEFORE

"Here's me—a bag-of-bones weakling before I mailed the coupon."

AFTER



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THE LIFE AND DEATH OF THE PHOENIX KID!

YOU'RE PETE BANNOCK'S BOY.! YOU WOULDN'T HOLD ME UP.!

THAT'S WHAT I'M GONNA DO, MR. PETERSON.!

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24¢ LB

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OUNG, BRASH, HANDY WITH HIS GUNS, HIS INFAMOUS CAREER BEGAN AT THE EARLY AGE OF NINETEEN.! THE PLACE WAS JOE PETERSON'S GENERAL STORE AND IT *ENDED*... BUT LET'S START AT THE BEGINNING AND TELL YOU THE *WHOLE* STORY OF...

"THE LIFE AND DEATH of the PHOENIX KID!"

DON'T DO IT, BOY.! IF IT'S MONEY YOU NEED...

STAY WHERE YOU ARE.! DON'T COME ANY CLOSER.!

I SAID, *STAY PUT.!*

SHORTLY AFTERWARD, WHEN THE SHERIFF QUESTIONED THE YOUNG GUNMAN'S FATHER...

THEN HE HASN'T SHOWN UP BACK HERE?

NO, SHERIFF, AN' I RECKON HE WON'T.! I TOLD HIM TO CLEAR OUT.! OUTLAWS AND GUNMEN WERE HIS IDOLS.! HE SHUNNED HONEST TOIL.! VIOLENCE WAS WHAT HE CRAVED.!

HE GAVE HIMSELF A NAME, TOO.! CALLED HIMSELF THE ***PHOENIX KID.!*** HE VOWED FOLKS WOULD GET TO KNOW THAT NAME... FROM ONE END OF THE TERRITORY TO THE OTHER.!

WITHIN SIX MONTHS, THE YOUNG OUTLAW WAS MAKING GOOD HIS BOAST...

WHEN YUH SEE THE SHERIFF, TELL 'IM THE ***PHOENIX KID*** SENDS HIS REGARDS.! HA, HA, HAW.!

A YEAR PASSED, WITH THE PHOENIX KID STRIKING AGAIN AND AGAIN...

OH--NH.!

WHEN I SAY ***FREEZE,*** I ***MEAN*** IT.!

THE WORD SPREAD... HIS NAME WAS ON EVERYONE'S LIPS...

THEY SAY HE'S A MEAN GUNMAN... WON'T STOP AT NOTHIN'.!

HE WOUNDED A MAN IN EL PASO LAST WEEK, AN' ANOTHER THE WEEK BEFORE.!

REWARD

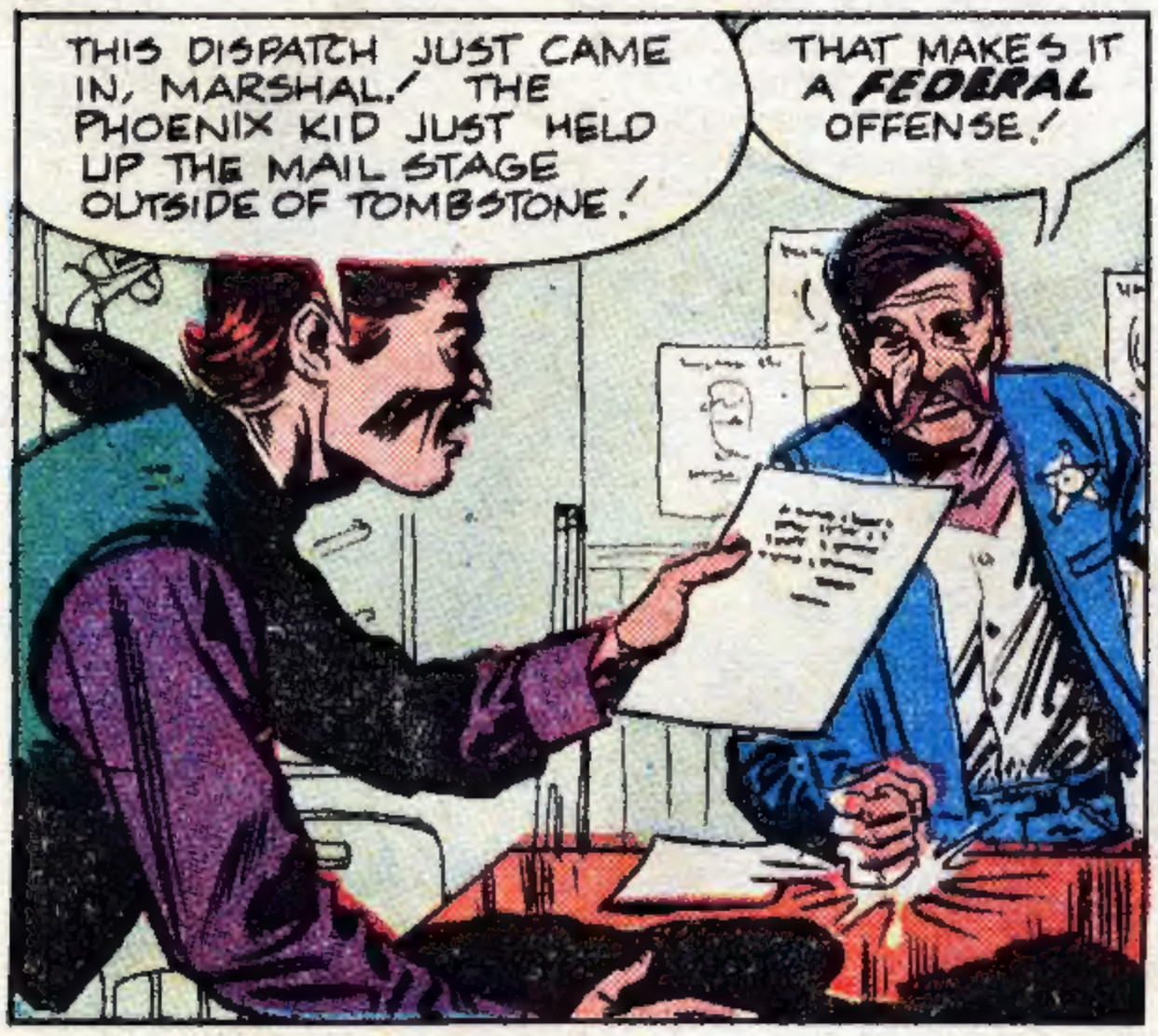
$1,000

PHOENIX KID

AND WHAT REACTION DID IT HAVE ON THE KID HIMSELF?

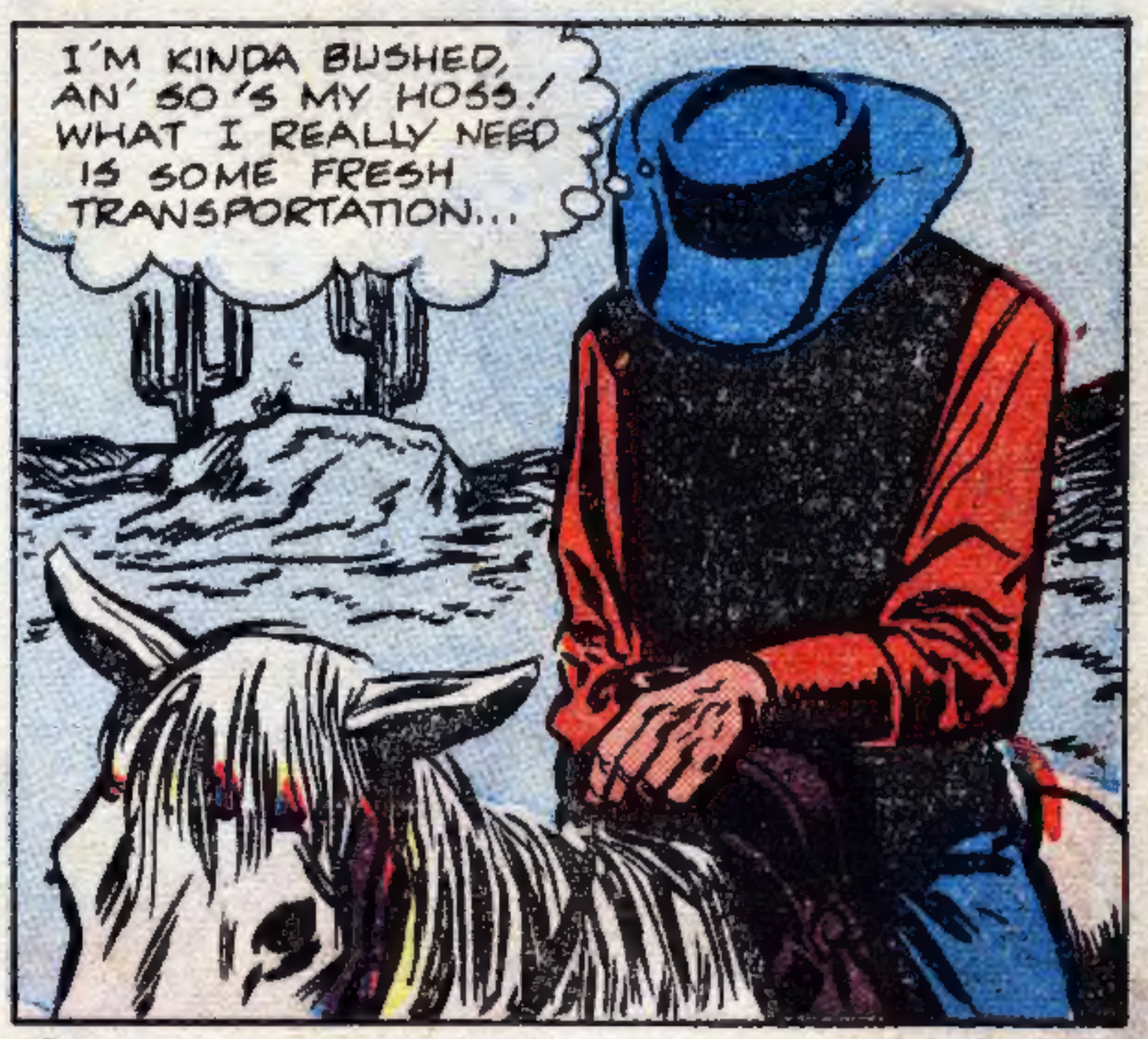
NOT A BAD LIKENESS, BUT I'M BETTER LOOKIN'.! HA, HA, HAW.!

SO THE NAME SPREAD, AND EVERY LAW AGENCY WAS ALERTED...

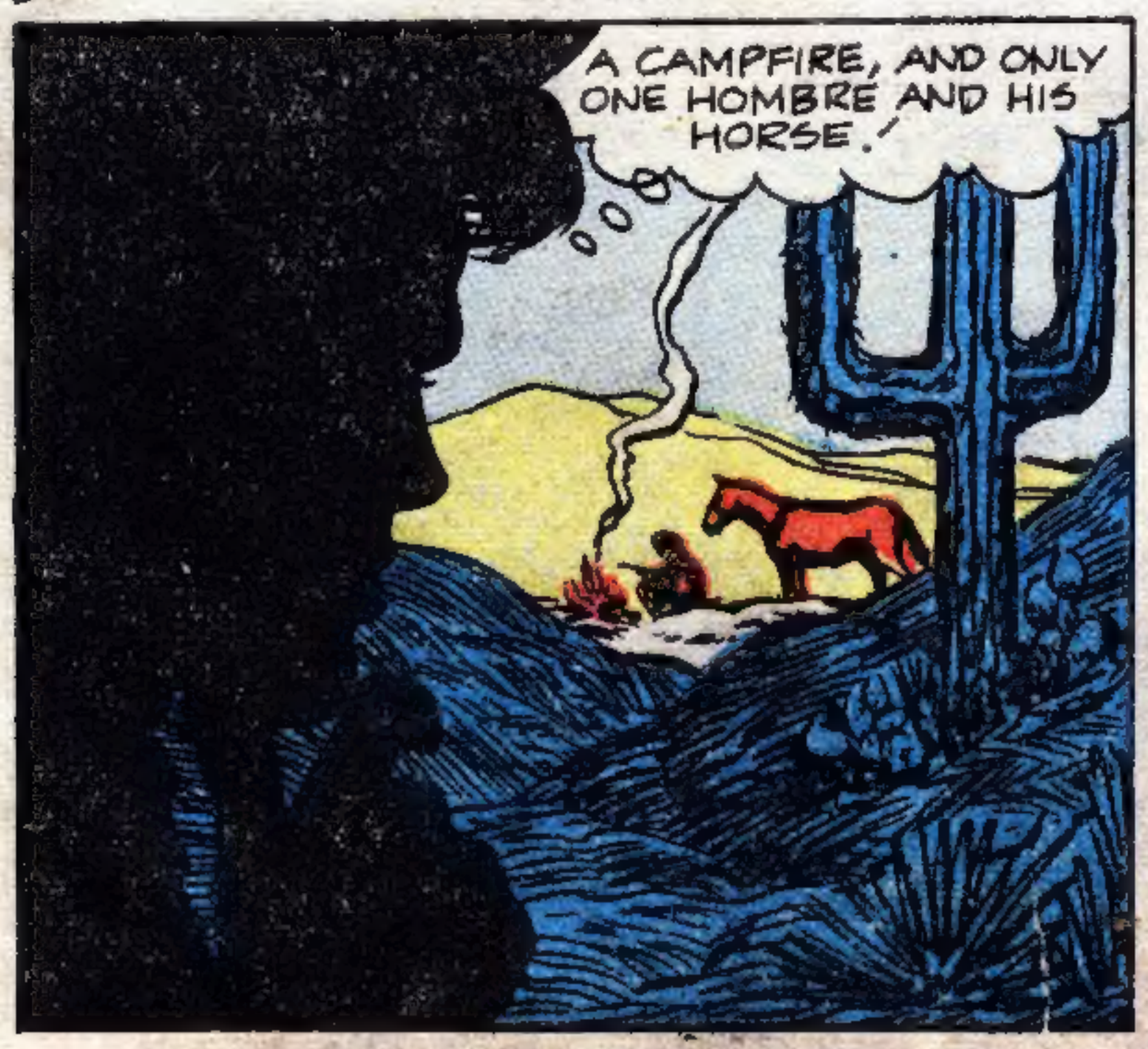

THIS DISPATCH JUST CAME IN, MARSHAL! THE PHOENIX KID JUST HELD UP THE MAIL STAGE OUTSIDE OF TOMBSTONE!
THAT MAKES IT A FEDERAL OFFENSE!

THAT NIGHT, AT THE KID'S CAMPSITE...

BUT AFTER A FULL DAY OF DESERT RIDING, THE STRAIN BEGAN TO SHOW...



AND THEN HIS EYES CAUGHT THE LAZY SPIRAL OF SMOKE...



SILENTLY THE KID SLIPPED FORWARD...THEN STRUCK HIS TREACHEROUS BLOW...

BY DAWN THE FOLLOWING DAY...

HE'S MOVING FASTER THAN HE DID YESTERDAY, AND WE HAVEN'T GIVEN HIM A CHANCE TO REST UP!

THERE'S NO POINT IN TRYING TO GUESS THE ANSWER! LET'S PUSH ON!

AND AT THIS SAME MOMENT...

LUCKIEST BREAK I HAD, GRABBIN' OFF THIS PONY! WITH THE PACE HE'S SETTING, I COULD SHAKE A DOZEN POSSES!

BUT SUDDENLY...

INJUNS... AND SOMETHING'S BOTHERIN' THEM!

THIS NOT PALEFACE HORSE.. THIS INDIAN PONY! HOW YOU GET 'UM?

I-I FOUND 'IM... BACK YONDER A WAY! HE WAS GRAZIN'...

LOOK, I HAVE GOLD, MUCH MONEY! I'LL BUY THE PONY... ANY PRICE YOU WANT!

WE NO CARE FOR PALEFACE WAMPUM, BUT YOU *LIE!* PALEFACE STEAL PONY ...MAYBE SHOOT BRAVE!

IT WASN'T ME! IT WAS ANOTHER PALEFACE! THAT'S THE TRUTH!

THEN YOU TAKE US TO OTHER PALEFACE! YOU TAKE US NOW!

I-I DON'T KNOW WHERE HE IS! STAY BACK! DON'T COME ANOTHER STEP!

I SAID STAY BACK!

STOP HIM, MY BROTHERS!

OH-NH! HELP!

MINUTES LATER THE BRAVES RODE OFF, TAKING THE STOLEN PONY WITH THEM...

THE CONTENTS OF HIS SADDLEBAGS WERE SCATTERED BY THE DESERT WIND, WHILE A LONE COYOTE HOWLED AT THE CLOUD-TOSSED MOON...

THE POSSE FOUND HIM THE NEXT DAY, AND THEY PUT HIM TO REST WITH THE OTHERS ON LONELY BOOT-HILL...

WANTED!

DEAD OR

THE PHOENIX KID

VIOLENCE WAS HIS WAY

SO HE LIVED,

SO HE DIED.

STAMPEDE

WHEN fourteen-year-old Tim Carver came down to breakfast, his mother told him that his father had started on the roundup some hours before.

"But you'll have time to pick up your cousin Bill at the station," she said.

Tim had viewed the arrival of his cousin from the east with something less than unrestrained joy.

Tim was silent for a moment as he reflected. Then, "You know how those eastern tenderfeet are, ma . . . always acting as though they knew more about the West than a body who lives out here knows!"

"Some of them may," Mrs. Carver said. "It seems to me I've heard that your cousin William is a very intelligent boy. He's your age, too and well behaved."

Tim frowned darkly.

"Well, I hope he doesn't put on any airs," he said. "I hope he's not one of those stuck-up smart alecks . . ." He didn't finish the sentence, but his tone left his mother under the impression that he was afraid that his worst fears would be realized.

"Are you taking the buckboard in to meet the train?" His mother asked as Tim rose, finally, from the morning meal.

"Nope. I'm taking a horse for Bill," he said.

Mrs. Carver looked at her son for a moment, but he said nothing else.

"I hope he can ride a horse," she said.

Tim went out into the yard, selected a horse from the corral, saddled it and tethered its reins to the horn of his own horse's saddle. As he rode out of the fenced-in ranchyard, his mother came to the front porch and said, "Tim!"

He paused and turned around respectfully. "Yes, mother?"

"I almost forgot. Your father said that if you'd like, you could leave Bill's baggage at the station and take him right out to the roundup so he could see how it was done. Dad promised to pick up the baggage tomorrow."

Tim smiled, nodding, and waved goodbye. His spirits rose a bit as he rode into town. He had never seen his cousin, Bill, and if Bill had been a Westerner, he'd have liked the prospect better. But Tim comfortably reminded himself that he'd know how to act if Bill turned out to be a smart-aleck tenderfoot. Half way into town, he passed the monument to old Indian scout Bill Stavis who had discovered the valley and its great natural chains of geysers. All about him the rolling lands lay fair and green, and Tim knew it was the underground waters and their rich chemical content that had made the place the wonderful cattle-ranching country it had become.

He was sauntering down the main street of the town toward the railroad station, when he realized the train was pulling out . . . he'd arrived just in time. A boy about his own age detached himself from a group of older people and waved to Tim. Reining in, Tim waved back.

"I recognized you from the picture your mother sent to mine," Bill Carver said, extending his hand. He was about Tim's size, and there was a strong family resemblance. Much against his will, Tim was pleasantly impressed. Quickly he explained to Bill about his father's invitation to attend the first day of the roundup.

"It's only about fifteen miles out of the way, and dad will pick up your baggage tomorrow."

"Swell!" Bill said enthusiastically. He went over to the ticket window and arranged for his luggage to be held. But he came back with a leather case slung over his shoulder with a strap.

"What's that?" Tim asked, curiously.

"Got that in New York," Bill said. "It's a kind of camping-out kit, with a lot of handy things in it. They told me it would be very useful on occasion."

Tim shook his head.

"Huh," he said. "Whoever sold you that probably figured you were going hiking or something . . . kid stuff!"

"Well, maybe," Bill said amiably. "But it won't hurt to carry it!"

To Tim's great surprise, his cousin didn't seem ill at ease with the other horse at all. The Eastern boy didn't sit in the saddle like a veteran, but he held his place and didn't jounce too much in the saddle. On

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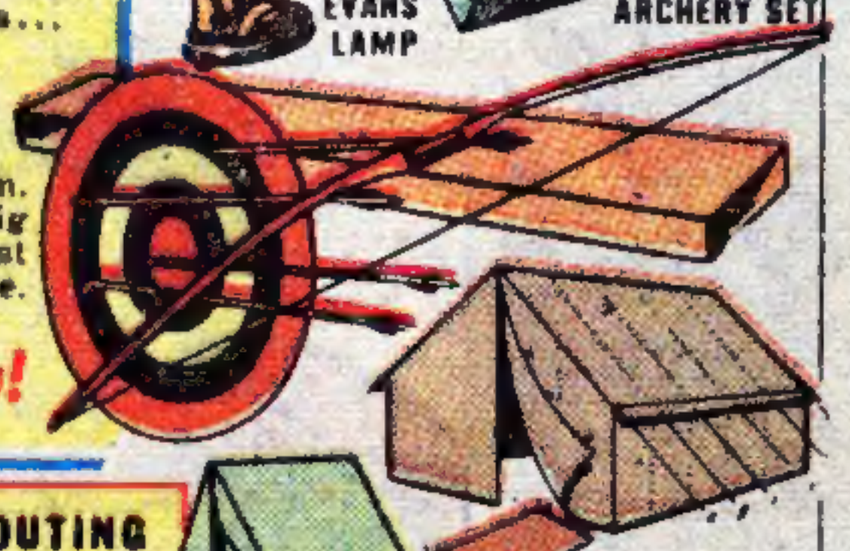

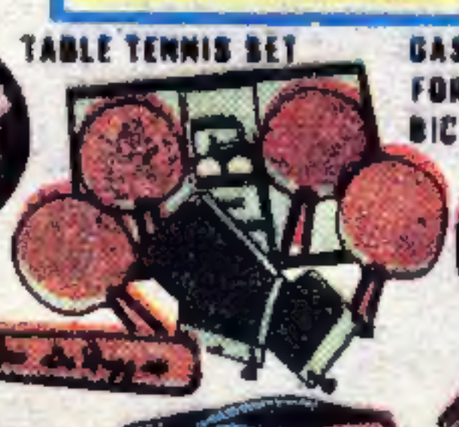

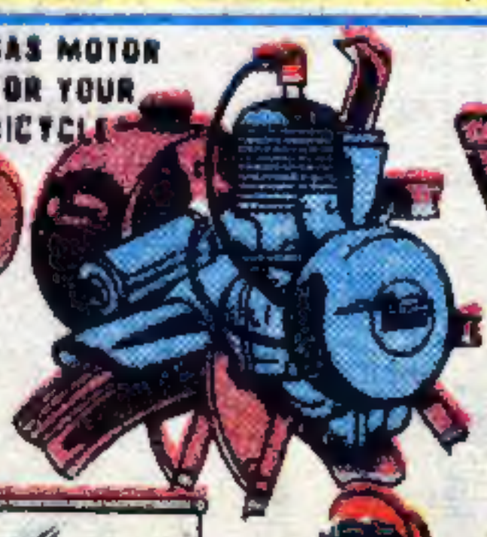

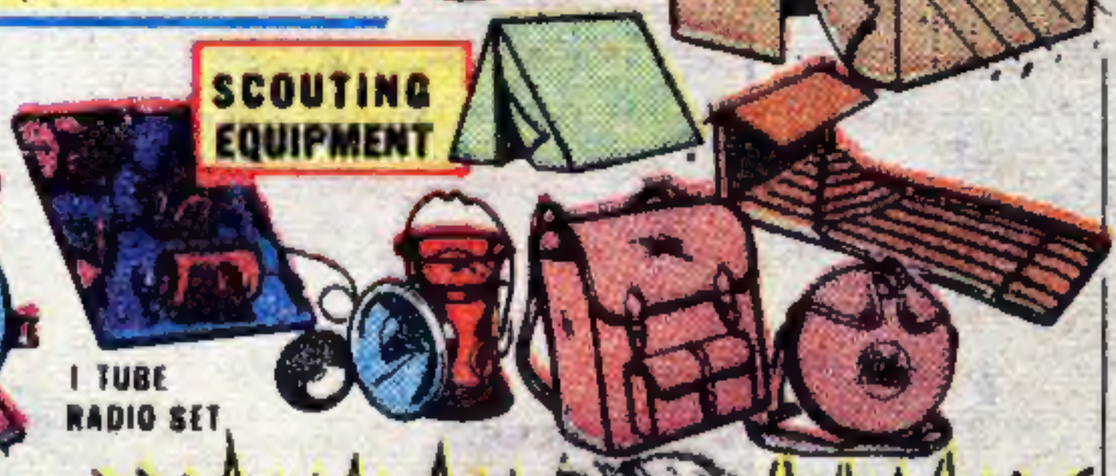

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IT WAS HAPPENING AGAIN, JUST AS IT HAD HAPPENED TO OTHER TOWNS! AND THERE WAS NO ESCAPING IT, NO PLACE TO HIDE...NO PLACE TO RUN!

THE COOLEY GANG STRIKES!

IT'S THE COOLEY GANG! HERE THEY COME!

ANNUAL SQUARE DANCE

SPECIAL WHISTLER

AND OUTSIDE THE AIR BOILED, AS THE COOLEY GANG STRUCK ONCE AGAIN...

SPREAD OUT, BOYS! NO ONE COMES IN OR GOES OUT!

MINUTES LATER, AS THEY ROUGHLY ELBOWED THEIR WAY THRU THE CROWD...

PLEASE, ON BEHALF OF ALL... OHHH!

PIPE DOWN, GRANDPAW! WE AIN'T GOT TIME FOR SPEECHES! WE'RE HUNGRY!

SHORTLY AFTERWARD, AS THE HUNGRY OUTLAWS GORGED THEMSELVES WITH FOOD AND DRINK...

LET'S HAVE SOME SERVICE! SNAP IT UP!

HERE IT COMES!

WILL THERE BE...OH-HH!

CUT THE PALAVER! JUST KEEP THE GRUB COMIN'!

HAW! HAW! HAW!

WHERE TO FROM HERE, COOLEY?

WE TRACK SOUTH ACROSS THE DESERT FOR COPPER CITY! THAT WAY WE'LL KEEP AHEAD OF COLONEL DAWES AND HIS CAVALRY WHILE WE HEAD FOR THE BORDER!

WE'LL NEED WATER AND GRUB FOR A LONG RIDE! SEE THAT OUR SADDLEBAGS AN' CANTEENS ARE TAKEN CARE OF!

Y-YES! RIGHT AWAY!

HOP TO IT, BOYS! START GIVIN' THIS TOWN THE GOIN' OVER! WE'LL NEED AMMO, GUNS, ANYTHIN' USEFUL! G'WAN OUT THAR AN' CLEAN THIS PLACE OUT!

LET'S GO!

YIPPEE!

A SHORT WHILE LATER, THEIR LOOTING COMPLETED, THE GANG GALLOPED OFF...

BRAWWW!

WHAWWWW!

S'LONG, FOLKS, AN' THANKS FOR YOUR HOSPITALITY! HAW! HAW! HAW! HAW!

IT'S A BLESSED SIGHT, SEEIN' THEM RIDE OFF!

SOMEDAY THEM VARMINTS'LL GET PAID BACK!

YES... MEBBE SO...

SO THE COOLEY GANG HEADED SOUTH, AND ALONG ABOUT NOON...

I RECKON WE'LL CALL TIME AN' GIVE THE HOSSES A REST!

I C'N USE ONE TOO, AN' A DRINK!

CANTEENS WERE RAISED TO PARCHED LIPS AS THE HOT SUN BROILED DOWN FROM ABOVE...

BUT A MOMENT LATER...

THE WATER! IT'S BEEN *SALTED!*

THAT LITTLE WAITER DID IT! WHY DIDN'T YOU KEEP AN EYE ON 'IM, GANTZ?

YOU DIDN'T ASK ME TO!

DON'T ALIBI YORESELF WITH ME!

I GOT A GOOD MIND TUH ...

HOLD ON, COOLEY! I GOT AN IDEA AN' WE'LL MAKE OURSELVES SOME PROFIT TOO!

THAR'S A DESERT TOWN CALLED CRYSTAL SPRINGS OFF TO THE EAST! IT'S GOT A GOOD DEEP WELL AND A FAIR-SIZED BANK!

MEBBE SO, PIKE! LEASTWAYS, WE CAN'T STAY HERE!

TWO HOURS LATER, AS THEY NEARED CRYSTAL SPRINGS..

THAR SHE BE!

KEEP THEM GUNS GOIN'!

AND WHEN THEY THUNDERED TO A HALT INSIDE THE TOWN ITSELF ...

FUNNY. BUT IT FEELS LIKE NO ONE'S HERE'

THAT FIGGERS! THEY HEARD US COMIN' AN' THEY TOOK OFF LIKE SCARED RABBITS!

WE'LL GET TO THAT WELL LATER, PIKE. BUT I RECKON WE C'N QUENCH OUR THIRST IN HERE!

SALOON

BUT SUDDENLY..

FREEZE! ALL OF YOU!

HUH?

THE BOYS IN BLUE!

DUMP YOUR HOLSTERS! YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST!

NOT SO FAST, WE AIN'T! C'MON, BOYS...

THEN, WITH A DEAFENING ROAR, A CURTAIN OF LEAD RANG DOWN FROM ABOVE...

THEY'RE ON THE ROOFS!

WE AIN'T GOT A CHANCE!

OH-H!

OWW!

ROUND 'EM UP, LADS! NO ONE ESCAPES!

SECONDS LATER, THE BATTLE WAS OVER...

WHEN WE ARRIVED IN THE LAST TOWN YOU HAD LOOTED, AND WAS TOLD THAT YOUR WATER HAD BEEN SALTED, WE FIGURED YOU'D HEAD FOR HERE! SO WE HAD THE FOLKS LEAVE TOWN FOR SAFETY, AND IN YOU CAME!

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THE END

ETCHED AGAINST THE SETTING SUN, THE CAVALRY LED THEIR PRISONERS OFF! A DRAMATIC DAY IN THE WEST'S HISTORY HAD COME TO AN END! THE COOLEY GANG WOULD *NEVER* STRIKE AGAIN!

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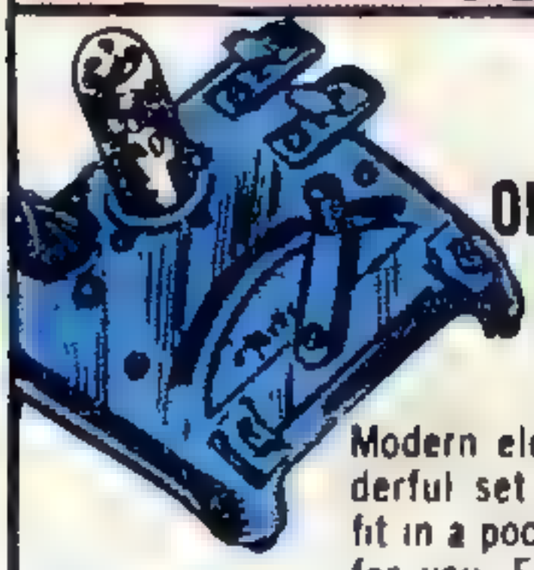

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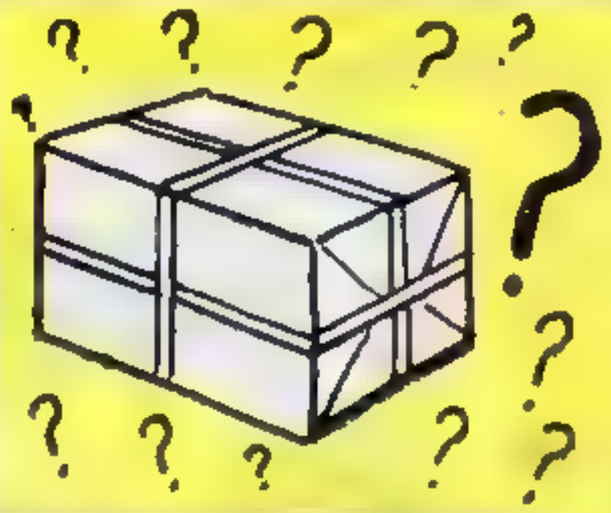

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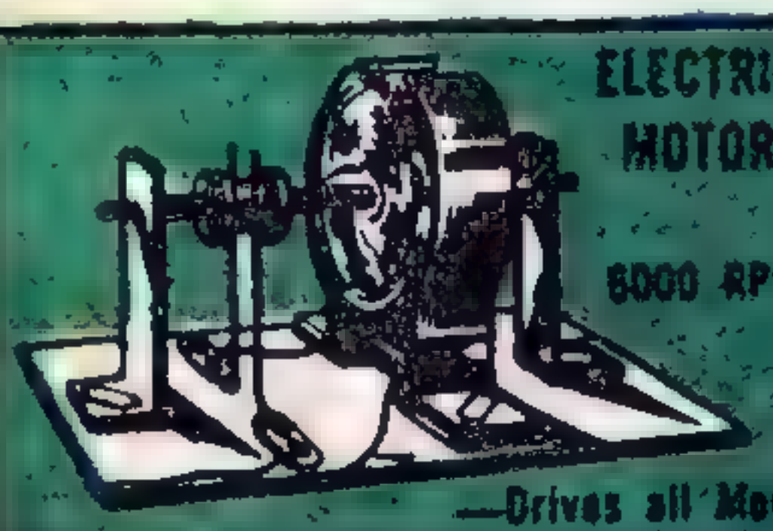

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WANTED

PECOS PETE

YOUNG HAL STOOD FROZEN WITH THOSE GUNS AT HIS BACK, AN' IN THAT MOMENT IT CAME TO ME THAT I HAD BROUGHT HIM TO THIS...

I REMEMBERED HOW I'D BROUGHT HIM HERE AND WHY! I REMEMBERED TALKING TO SOME OF THE MEN AND TELLING THEM...

BUT, DOC, YOU'VE BEEN TAKING CARE OF THIS COMMUNITY FOR YEARS! WE DON'T WANT ANY OTHER DOCTOR!

FOLKS OUT HERE ARE STUBBORN...THEY'VE GOT TO BE SOMETIMES, TO SURVIVE! THAT'S WHY IT WAS HARD TO MAKE THEM UNDERSTAND...

SAM, LIKE I SAID, I'M GETTIN' OLD...CAN'T GO RIDIN' OVER BAD ROADS IN ALL KINDS OF WEATHER TO MAKE CALLS ANY MORE, LIKE I USED TO!

THAT'S WHY I'VE CALLED ON THIS YOUNG FELLOW, DR. HAL DENT, TO TAKE OVER IN BIG BEND! I'M GOING TO RETIRE!

HOW DO WE KNOW HOW GOOD HE IS? PROBABLY WON'T UNDERSTAND US, AN' OUR PROBLEMS... MOST EASTERN FOLKS DON'T!

YOUNG HAL'S A FINE DOCTOR! AN' HE'S NOT AN EASTERNER! HE'S ONE OF US, A WYOMIN' BOY, BROUGHT UP ON THE RANGE!

THAT'S ABOUT AS MUCH AS I KNEW ABOUT HIM! NOW SEEIN' HOW HE HANDLED HIS GUNS, I REALIZED I SHOULD'VE FOUND OUT MORE! ANYWAY, TWO MONTHS AGO I'D WELCOMED HIM TO BIG BEND...

WELCOME TO BIG BEND, DOCTOR!

THANKS, DOCTOR!

WE FIGURED TO DIVIDE THE PATIENTS FIRST AN' FOR HAL TO GRADUALLY TAKE OVER, UNTIL HE WAS TAKING CARE OF THEM ALL, AND I COULD RETIRE...

YOU WANT TO COME IN NOW, MR. PETERS?

NO, I DON'T! I'LL WAIT FOR OL' DOC STEWART!

AND THAT'S THE WAY IT WAS! THEY DIDN'T TRUST HAL TO TAKE CARE OF THEM! THEY ALL WANTED OL' DOC STEWART! THIS MORNING, THE WHOLE THING CAME TO A HEAD...

BUT HAL, YOU CAN'T LEAVE NOW, JUST WHEN I'VE GOT ONE OF MY ARTHRITIC ATTACKS! CAN'T USE MY HANDS AT ALL!

THEY STILL WOULDN'T LET ME TOUCH THEM! IT'S NO USE, DOC! THEY'LL NEVER HAVE CONFIDENCE IN ME! AND WITHOUT HIS PATIENTS' CONFIDENCE, A DOCTOR MIGHT AS WELL GIVE UP!

DOC! THE CORBINS JUST RODE IN WITH THEIR MEN... MEAN AS RATTLERS!

LISTEN. I HEAR SHOTS!

THE CORBINS SHOT 'EM! THERE'LL BE MORE, UNLESS THEY RIDE OUT, AN' SEEMS LIKELY THEY'RE GONNA STAY! HOLED UP IN THE SALOON!

I WANT DOC STEWART TO FIX ME UP! NOT THE NEW DOC!

BUT, JOHN, I CAN'T... HAL, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

IN MEDICAL SCHOOL, THEY TAUGHT US TO REMOVE THE CAUSE FIRST, BEFORE TREATMENT! THAT'S WHAT I AIM TO DO! I'M THROUGH IN BIG BEND, ANYWAY!

HE STALKED OUT OF THERE AN' TOWARD THE SALOON! NOBODY MADE A SOUND AS WE FOLLOWED HIM...

...THEN HE CALLED THE CORBINS AND THE GUNS THUNDERED! HE WAS A FLASH WITH HIS GUNS...

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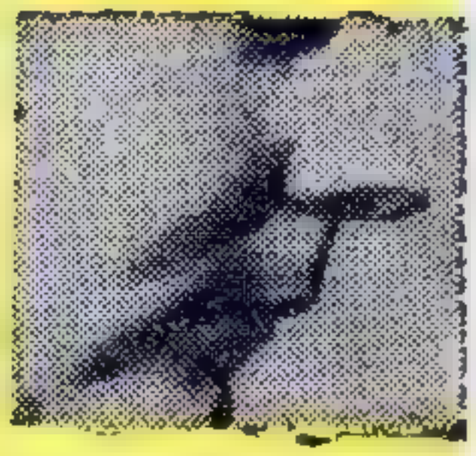

AFTER

Same girl had used KERAPLEX twice a day for only 5 days when above photo was taken. Note the amazing improvement.

BEFORE

This young man suffered from a severe case of acne for years and tried all the usual "remedies" without success.

AFTER

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WE'RE GONNA SHOW YUH IT DON'T PAY TO TANGLE WITH OUR KIND!

THEN HE MOVED SO FAST, HE WAS A BLUR... I NEVER SAW ANYTHING LIKE THE WAY HE WHIRLED, DROPPED AND SHOT...

GLAD I REMEMBERED HOW! NOW MOUNT UP AN' GET OUT OF BIG BEND!

THEY RODE OUT! ME AN' HAL WENT BACK TO THE OFFICE...

ABOUT THE GUNPLAY, HAL... HEY... WHAT'RE YOU DOIN'?

PACKING! I MIGHT AS WELL LEAVE! YOU NOTICED IT, THE GUNPLAY, SO WILL THE OTHERS! DOC, I WAS A GUNMAN, THE WYOMING KID! I SAVED JESSE KINCAID'S LIFE... HE'S THE MILLIONAIRE RANCHER! HE HAD ME EDUCATED, SENT ME TO MEDICAL SCHOOL!

I THOUGHT I COULD BURY THE PAST BUT THE FOLKS HERE DIDN'T TAKE TO ME ANYWAY! AFTER SEEING ME HANDLE MY GUNS, THEY'LL KNOW... AND THAT FINISHES ME FOR GOOD HERE!

SAY, DOC, THE WAITING ROOM'S FULL OF PATIENTS TO SEE *DOCTOR HAL!*

WHAT'S ALL THIS? HOW COME YOU MEN CHANGED SO FAST?

WELL, WE DIDN'T HAVE CONFIDENCE IN DOC HAL! BUT A DOC HAS TO BE REAL GOOD WITH HIS HANDS AND HAS TO HAVE COURAGE TOO! DOC HAL SHOWED TODAY HE SURE IS GREAT WITH HIS HANDS! HE PROVED HE'S OUR KIND! RECKON YOU CAN GO ON AN' RETIRE, DOC STEWART!

THE END

SHERIFF DICK MANTON TASTED BITTERNESS AS HE FACED "THE SQUIRE", THE SOUTHWEST'S MOST NOTORIOUS GUNMAN! HE KNEW HE WAS A GONER, FOR THE HOLSTERS AT HIS SIDE WERE EMPTY, AND "THE SQUIRE" HAD SWORN TO GET HIM!

EMPTY HOLSTERS!

"SQUIRE"... I'M NOT ARMED!

I KNOW! I LIKE IT THAT WAY! IT'S EASIER!

SIDNEY CHEG—

IN THAT BRIEF MOMENT, HIS MIND RAN BACK THROUGH THE PAST, TASTING AVIDLY OF THE ACTION, THE GOOD THINGS! HE REMEMBERED TAKING "THE SQUIRE" THREE YEARS AGO...

HE HAD JUST SHADED "THE SQUIRE'S" DRAW THAT DAY...

ALL RIGHT, "SQUIRE"... THIS IS IT! WHERE YOU'RE GOIN', YUH WON'T NEED THOSE GUNS ANY MORE!

YOU WERE LUCKY! BUT, I'LL BE BACK AN' I'LL GET YUH, MANTON! GET YUH ANY WAY I CAN!

"THE SQUIRE" HAD BEEN SENT TO JAIL! TWO WEEKS LATER, WALTER MAUGHN, AN ENGLISHMAN HAD TAKEN OVER THE BIGGEST RANCH IN THE TERRITORY! DICK HAD RIDDEN OUT TO VISIT HIM!

SO HAPPY TO MEET YOU, OLD CHAP! DO DISMOUNT!

SHERIFF MANTON, I'D LIKE YOU TO MEET MY SISTER HOLLY!

SO NICE TO MEET YOU, SHERIFF! GOODNESS THOSE ARE BIG GUNS YOU WEAR! THEY FRIGHTEN ME... RATHER LIKE SYMBOLS OF THE LAWLESSNESS OF THIS LAND!

DICK HAD BEEN SMITTEN WITH HER IMMEDIATELY! NEVER HAD HE SEEN SUCH A LOVELY GIRL! AND HE, SO TALL AND STRONG, HAD APPEALED TO HER!

MA'AM, SINCE AN OUTLAW CALLED "THE SQUIRE" WAS SENT AWAY, THIS TERRITORY IS REAL PEACEFUL!

YOUR WESTERN DEFINITION OF "PEACEFUL"! IT'S LOVELY COUNTRY BUT I WISH I WERE BACK IN LONDON AND CIVILIZATION!

THEY HAD TAKEN LONG RIDES! AND BECAUSE OF HIM, SHE HAD STAYED ON! AND FINALLY...

YES, I LOVE YOU, DICK AND I'LL MARRY YOU, BUT YOU MUST FIRST PROMISE NEVER AGAIN TO WEAR THOSE HORRIBLE GUNS!

BUT, DARLING, I'M SHERIFF! I'VE **GOT** TO WEAR GUNS! AND I WON'T GIVE UP MY JOB! I'M PROUD OF IT!

YOU SAID THE TOWN WAS PEACEFUL! WHY DO YOU NEED GUNS THEN? THE BOBBIES IN LONDON DON'T GO ARMED! YOU CAN KEEP YOUR TOWN CLEAN WITHOUT GUNS!

AND IN THE END HE HAD GIVEN IN, FOR HE LOVED HER AND WOULD HAVE LOST HER IF HE HADN'T! HE PASSED A LAW.

MEN, YOU KNOW THE LAW... NO GUNS IN TOWN! CHECK THEM AT THE BAR!

O.K., SHERIFF!

AT FIRST HE FELT STRANGE WITHOUT HIS GUNS...

HERE, WEAR YOUR BELT WITH THE HOLSTERS EMPTY, SO EVERY ONE CAN SEE! I KNOW YOU'RE USED TO WEARING IT! YOU CAN ALWAYS STEP INTO YOUR OFFICE AND GET A GUN IF YOU NEED ONE... BUT YOU WON'T!

BUSINESSMEN DON'T WEAR GUNS, AND THE LAW IS YOUR BUSINESS! THIS GIVES IT DIGNITY!

IT STILL DOESN'T SEEM RIGHT FOR A WESTERN SHERIFF TO *NOT* WEAR GUNS!

I DON'T WANT YOU HURT! IF YOU *DON'T* WEAR GUNS, YOU'RE NOT A MENACE TO ANYONE AND SO THEY CAN'T BE A MENACE TO YOU!

PERHAPS YOU'RE RIGHT...SINCE WE'VE BEEN MARRIED AND I HAVEN'T WORN GUNS, THERE'S BEEN NOT A SPECK OF TROUBLE! WELL, I'VE GOT TO MAKE MY ROUNDS!

HE HAD HEARD THE WHISPERS OF THE PEOPLE, BUT IN HIS HAPPINESS, HE HAD PAID NO HEED!

AIN'T NATURAL FOR A SHERIFF TO WALK AROUND WITH EMPTY HOLSTERS!

IT'S THAT WIFE OF HIS DID IT! DICK SHOULD'VE MARRIED A REAL WESTERN GAL!

AND YET THE THOUGHT NAGGED AT HIM, MAYBE THEY WERE RIGHT! HOLLY DIDN'T FIT IN...SHE STILL SEEMED LIKE AN ENGLISH GIRL VISITING THE WEST!

SHERIFF, JUST GOT THE WORD... "THE SQUIRE" WAS RELEASED FROM JAIL FOUR DAYS AGO! HE WAS SEEN RIDING THIS WAY! BETTER GET YOUR SIX-GUNS!

HOLLY, YOU'D BETTER GET HOME! I'M GETTIN' MY GUNS! THAT GUNMAN I TOLD YOU ABOUT, "THE SQUIRE" IS HEADIN' HERE... COULD BE HERE ANY MINUTE!

DON'T BE AFRAID, DICK! YOU DON'T NEED YOUR GUNS! IF YOU'RE UNARMED, YOU'LL FOIL HIM! HE *CAN'T* SHOOT YOU THEN!

MANTON, I'VE COME BACK LIKE I SAID! REMEMBER?

AND THE GRAY BITTERNESS HAD COME TO DICK THEN AS HE'D LAMELY SAID...

"SQUIRE"... I'M NOT ARMED!

YEAH, I SEE! I LIKE IT THAT WAY! IT'S EASIER!

HE HEARD HOLLY'S VOICE, PIERCING HIS REVERIE...

DICK! CATCH!

HE THREW HIMSELF TO THE SIDE, HEARING THE WHISPER OF LEAD MISS HIM BY A HAIR, AND HIS HANDS REACHED AND CAUGHT THE GUNS...

THE COLTS KICKED BACK AGAINST HIS PALMS IN THAT FINE, FAMILIAR FEELING...

DOES IT TAKE YOU BACK ABOUT THREE YEARS, "SQUIRE"? RECKON I WAS LUCKY AGAIN! BUT YOU ***WON'T*** BE! THIS TIME I'LL SEE TO IT YOU GET A SENTENCE THAT'LL PUT YOU AWAY FOR GOOD! BILL, LOCK HIM UP!

OH, DICK! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

I RAN INTO THE OFFICE AND GOT YOUR GUNS! DICK, I'VE BEEN SO WRONG! NEVER TAKE A STEP AGAIN WITHOUT YOUR GUNS!

WELL, HOLLY, THIS ***IS*** A TWIST!

I NEVER STOPPED BEING AN ENGLISHWOMAN UNTIL SUDDENLY, A FEW MINUTES AGO, WHEN YOU FACED DEATH! I, ER, ***RECKON*** IN THAT MOMENT I BECAME WHAT I ***SHOULD*** HAVE BECOME WHEN I MARRIED YOU... A ***WESTERN WOMAN!***

RECKON DICK'S GOT HISSELF A ***REAL WESTERN GAL*** AFTER ALL!

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Tim's asking him where he'd learned to ride, Bill replied, "Why most public parks back east have plenty of space for horseback riding. My dad rides, and he takes me along every now and then."

Tim grudgingly had to admit to himself that his cousin was, at least, a fair rider. Then, as they hit the trail outside the town, he began pointing out places of interest, particularly the geysers and fumaroles scattered all over the valley's surface. Again, to his great surprize, Bill knew about all this, though he didn't fail to exclaim over the beauty of some of the streams.

"They mostly spout toward evening," Tim said as they jogged along.

"Must be quite a sight," Bill rejoined.

"It is. The steam keeps the valley at a very level temperature, and the soil is enriched by the water . . . it's full of minerals. That's why the grass grows so green and tall here."

The grazing lands lay mostly to the north and east of the town. By the time they'd ridden five miles outside town, they were in the middle of a vast green emptiness bounded only by the distant walls of mountains. To the west, a great herd of cattle was visible feeding on the lush grass.

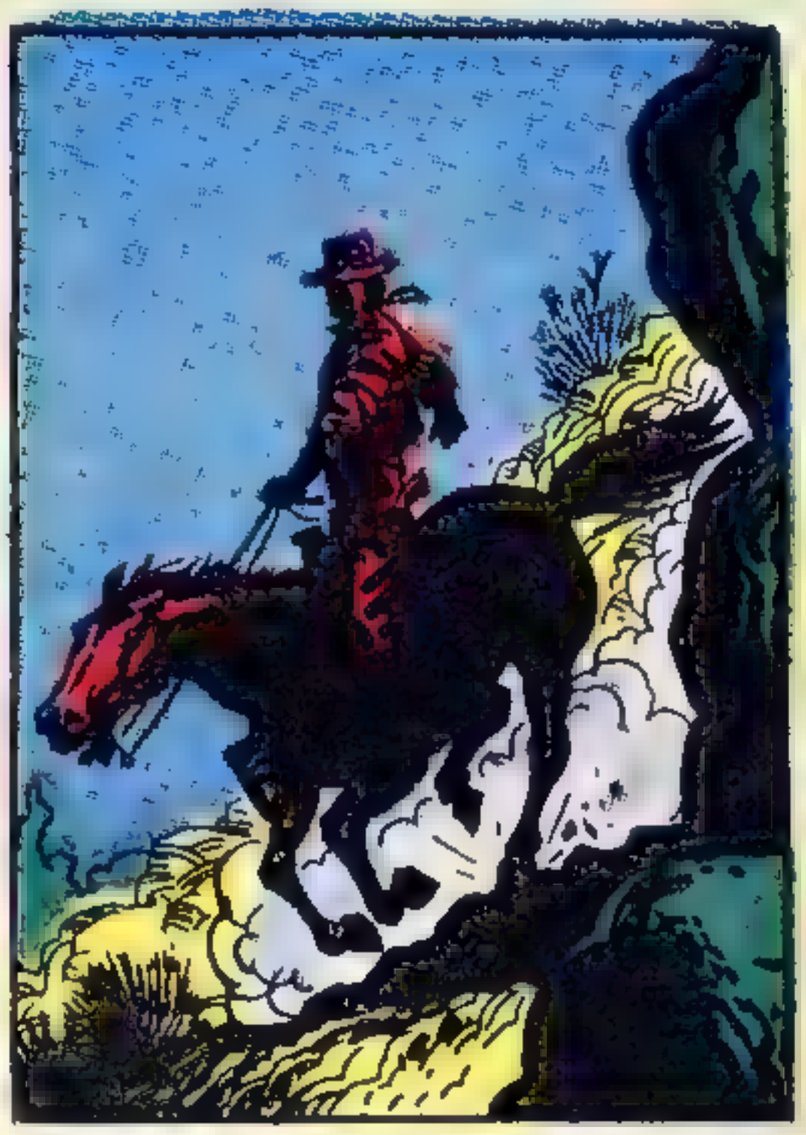
"They're not ours," Tim exclaimed. "But we'll see Dad's cows pretty soon."

It was not long before they reached the boundaries of the Carver spread. At first, little could be seen. Then, at a distance of some two miles, the boys spotted the three herds into which the roundup was being split. Over the air came the sound of cattle lowing. Tim was just about to raise his hand and point out where the chuck wagon had probably been stationed along with the temporary branding corrals for the young calves, when Bill uttered an exclamation.

"Over there!" he said. "What's that cloud of dust, Tim?"

Tim Carver gasped.

"The start of a stampede!" he cried. "Probably some cows got nervous, or a couple of calves broke loose from branding!" Anxiously, he scanned the horizon. "The other two



herds are okay . . . but the main one . . . C'mon, we'd better bust for Dad's location!" Abruptly he broke off. With his eyes on the distant herd, his cousin was fumbling in the camping-out kit.

With a cry of despair, Tim started off toward the chuck wagon. But Bill didn't follow. Instead, he began high-tailing it toward the southeast at a course approaching the head of the oncoming herd, yet curving away from it. Looking back, Tim uttered an exclamation of anger, for he thought his cousin was stupidly running into danger.

"Come back, Bill!" he cried. "Come back! You're runnin' into danger!"

But Bill didn't stop; he rode at a faster speed toward the herd. From time to time, his hand seemed to raise in the air, and every time it dropped, a plume of steam shot up in the air, and every time it was followed by a steady blast of boiling-hot water. Within five minutes, a line of erupting fumaroles in Bill's trail stretched for half a mile directly in front of the oncoming herd. Then the front of the charging mass swerved away from the boiling, steaming line just enough to let the half-dozen pursuing cowboys under Mr. Carver's leadership shoot around them and gain control. Within another five minutes, the herd was headed back to safety and the roundup, and Bill was explaining to his cousin Tim and Tim's father.

"I just used some of the contents of that camping kit," he said. "You folks out here get so used to these geysers and fumaroles, that you forget what can be done with them. But I'd read up on them before I left home, and I remembered that a sleeping geyser or fumarole can be made to explode by dropping a bit of soap into it. Well, I had a couple of books of soap-paper pages in the camping kit, and all I did was run along that southeast line of fumaroles and toss a few crumpled pages of the soap paper into each of 'em. Then Mother Nature took her course and made a barrier the herd couldn't cross!"

Tim glanced at his cousin in admiration.

"Reckon *I'm* the only tenderfoot present today!" he said.

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HOW IS IT, KANE? YOU HURT BAD?

NOT TOO BAD...I THINK! FEELS LIKE;..A FLESH WOUND!

HE GOT AWAY... THE AMBUSHER! HE WAS A BIG FELLOW... WORE A BLACK MUSTACHE AN'A BLACK STETSON!

YES...I KNOW...

I'LL GO CALL THE SHERIFF! WE'LL GET SOME OF THE BOYS AND...

NO, DARBY! I WISH YOU WOULDN'T!

I KNOW THE MAN WHO TRIED TO SHOOT ME, AND I DON'T WANT ANYONE GETTING HURT ON MY ACCOUNT! I'D RATHER... IT WAS ALL FORGOTTEN!

SURE, KANE... IF THAT'S WHAT YUH WANT!

I WONDER WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT?

WE ALL HAVE OUR SECRETS! I RECKON KANE HAS HIS...

LATER THAT AFTERNOON IN KANE'S CABIN...

I HEARD THE NEWS! MRS. BISHOP WAS IN TOWN, AND SHE STOPPED BY! SHE TOLD ME...

THEN YOU KNOW IT WAS FERRIS! HE HASN'T FORGOTTEN!

DON'T, SAM, PLEASE! WE'LL GO AWAY! YOU'VE GOT TO THINK OF JOEY AND ME!

THAT'S WHO I AM THINKING OF! FERRIS NOT ONLY THREATENED ME, BUT EVERYTHING I HOLD DEAR, AND RUNNING NEVER SOLVED ANYTHING!

ARE YOU GOING HUNTING, DADDY? TAKE ME WITH YOU, PLEASE!

NOT THIS TIME, JOEY! THIS ISN'T ORDINARY GAME! THIS KIND IS THE MOST DANGEROUS OF 'EM ALL!

SO HE LEFT THE WARMTH OF HIS CABIN AND SET OUT AFTER HIS QUARRY! HE FOLLOWED NO PARTICULAR COURSE, AND YET HE KNEW...

HE'S HERE... BEHIND SOME BOULDER OR TREE TRUNK... SPYING, WATCHING... PLAYING CAT AND MOUSE! AND WHY? BECAUSE I DID MY DUTY... THE WAY A MAN MUST...

I TOLD THE TRUTH, AND THEY SENT HIM TO JAIL! DID I DO WRONG? IS THIS THE PRICE FOR TRUTH... TO LIVE IN FEAR? AND NOW, WHO KNOWS HOW SOON I MAY PAY THE GREATEST PRICE OF ALL!

I KNOW YOU'RE HERE, FERRIS! SHOW YOURSELF AND WE'LL SETTLE IT HERE AND NOW!

SILENTLY, IN THE DARKEST DEPTH OF A THICKET, THERE WAS THE LOW RASP OF STEEL AGAINST STEEL!

HA! HA! HA! HAW!

THE SECONDS TICKED BY, AND THEN FROM OUT OF THE GATHERING DUSK...

FERRIS...

THAT'S RIGHT, KANE! I'VE COME TO PAY YOU BACK! YOUR TESTIMONY PUT ME BEHIND BARS FOR THREE LONG YEARS!

I DID MY DUTY, FERRIS! YOU ROBBED THE EXPRESS OFFICE! I SAW IT WITH MY OWN EYES!

TALK WON'T HELP! I'M GOIN' TO CASH YOU IN, BUT FIRST YOU'RE GONNA SQUIRM!

LIKE SO!

SLOWLY HE SIGHTED ALONG THE GLISTENING BARREL! THE TRIGGER FINGER TIGHTENED, AND THEN, A SOUND FROM ABOVE BROUGHT SUDDEN ALARM!

NO! IT CAN'T BE...

KRUTCH!

AN AVALANCHE!

AND WHEN THE FURY SWEPT BY...

HE BROUGHT IT ON HIMSELF! HIS SHOTS LOOSENED THE SLIDE AND SWEPT HIM AWAY! I... I'VE BEEN SPARED!

BUT AS HE TURNED TO GO...

HELP... HELP!

HE... HE'S ALIVE... BEYOND THAT RIDGE! HE SOUNDS IN PAIN!

HELP... HELP...

BUT WHY SHOULD I CARE? HE WAS READY TO KILL ME! HE ONLY GOT WHAT HE DESERVED! HE'LL GET NO HELP FROM ME!

BUT THERE WAS SOMETHING INSIDE HIM THAT BROUGHT HIS FEET TO A HALT, AN INDEFINABLE SOMETHING WHOSE LAW HE HAD TO OBEY!

WHAT AM I DOING? THERE'S A MAN OUT THERE... A MAN IN PAIN... A MAN WHO NEEDS HELP...

HOLD ON, FERRIS! STEADY... I'M COMING!

IT WAS HARD WORK BRINGING HIM DOWN, BUT WHEN MORNING CAME...

YOU SAVED MY LIFE... WHY?

YOU WERE IN TROUBLE, AND I THOUGHT IT MY DUTY TO HELP... JUST AS THREE YEARS AGO DUTY MADE ME SPEAK THE TRUTH AT YOUR TRIAL!

I'M NOT THE MAN I WAS, KANE! CAN WE BE FRIENDS?

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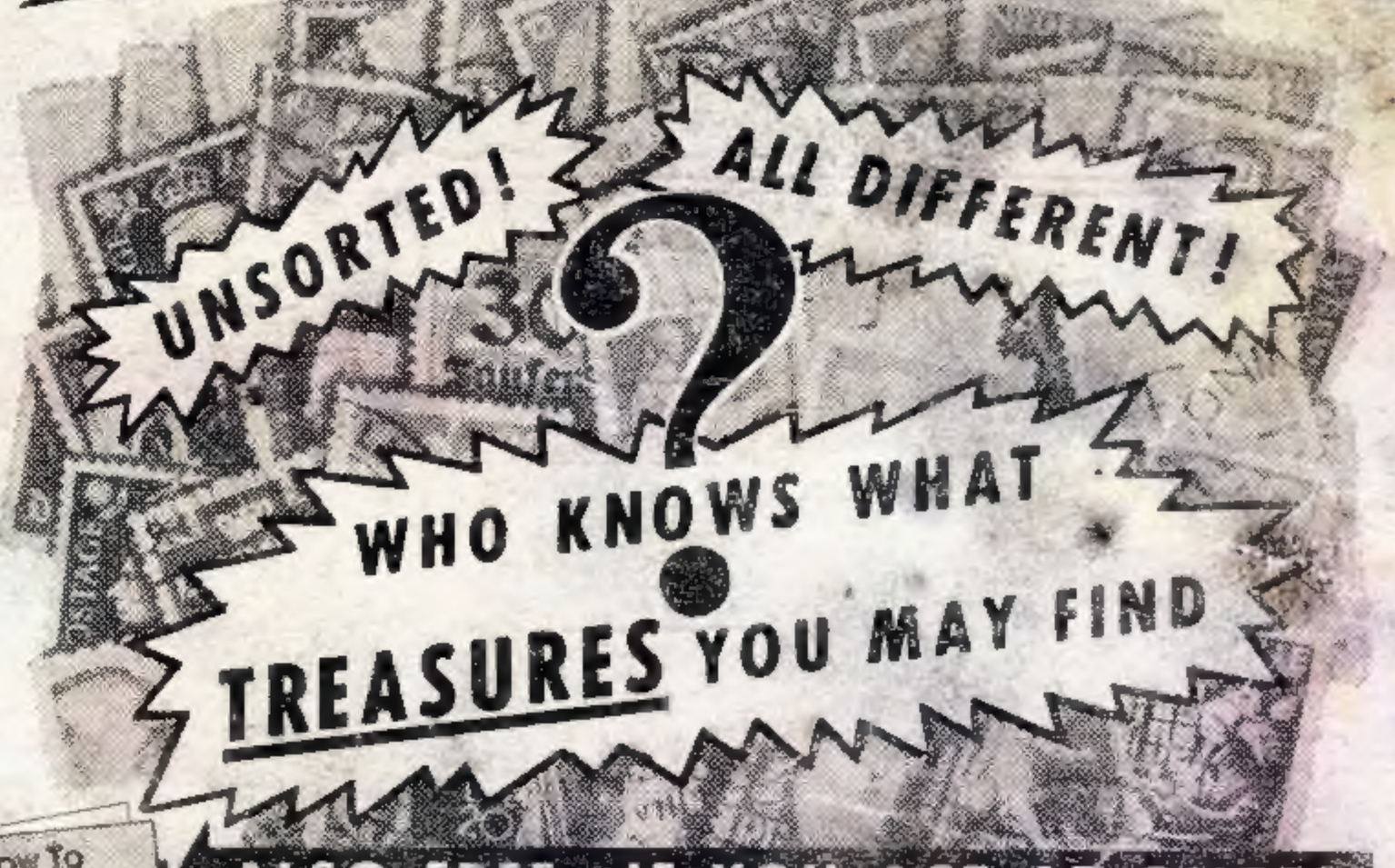

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